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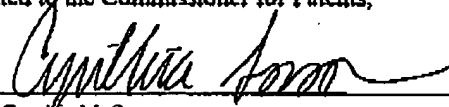
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SUPPLEMENTARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and
Trademark Office on July 29, 2002 (Paper No. 9) and the personal interview between
Examiner Covington and Elizabeth Hanley on February 4, 2003. Please amend the
application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 5, 9, 19-33 and 40-63.

Please amend claims 1, 6 and 34 as follows:

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1. [Amended] A method of increasing ATP production of a subject, comprising
administering to said subject an effective amount of a creatine compound and an ATP